

Midwest Student Exchange Program

An easy way to save money on out-of-state tuition costs

A program of the Midwestern Higher Education Compact

2013-14 Enrollment Data

About the MSEP

What is the MSEP?

MHEC helps improve access to postsecondary education through the Midwest Student Exchange Program (MSEP). Since 1994, the MSEP has provided more affordable opportunities for students to attend out-of-state institutions. The MSEP serves as the Midwest's largest multi-state tuition reciprocity program. MSEP is not a scholarship.

About 100 colleges and universities in Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota and Wisconsin have opened their doors to each others' citizens at more affordable rates. Although the Midwestern Higher Education Compact is composed of twelve Midwestern states, the MSEP is a voluntary program (as are all MHEC programs) and only nine of the twelve states participate. Iowa, South Dakota, and Ohio do not participate in MSEP at this time.

How it works

Through the MSEP, public institutions agree to charge students no more than 150% of the in-state resident tuition rate for specific programs; private institutions offer a 10% reduction on their tuition rates. You must be enrolling as a non-resident student at a participating MSEP campus to receive the discount.

Actual savings through the program will vary from institution to institution depending upon the tuition rates. The average savings per student in 2013-2014 was \$5,467.

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Enrollment Statistics

MSEP Enrollment by Students' Home State of Residence

State	Enrollment
Illinois	3,583
Indiana	207
Kansas	614
Michigan	745
Minnesota	312
Missouri	387
Nebraska	660
North Dakota	69
Wisconsin	445
Total	7,022

MSEP Enrollment by Institution State

State	Enrollment
Illinois	0
Indiana	644
Kansas	467
Michigan	409
Minnesota	214
Missouri	2,278
Nebraska	453
North Dakota	485
Wisconsin	2,072
Total	7,022

MSEP Migration

State	Import/Export Ratio*	Net In Migration	In Migration	Out Migration
Illinois	0.000	-3,583	0	3,583
Indiana	3.111	437	644	207
Kansas	0.761	-147	467	614
Michigan	0.549	-336	409	745
Minnesota	0.686	-98	214	312
Missouri	5.886	1,891	2,278	387
Nebraska	0.686	-207	453	660
North Dakota	7.029	416	485	69
Wisconsin	4.656	1,627	2,072	445

*<1 = Exporter >1 = Importer

Student Characteristics

Student Enrollment Status

Status	Count of Students
Entering	3,066
Continuing	3,783
Unknown	173
Total	7,022

Student Graduation Status

Will Student Graduate This Year?	Count of Students
Yes	612
No	5,461
Unknown	949
Total	7,022

“MSEP has made it possible for me to attend a university that caters to my major of choice. The state I’m from does not offer the major I’m pursuing. (Without MSEP) I would not be able to afford college.”

Amanda, Nebraska resident attending Wichita State University



Tuition Savings

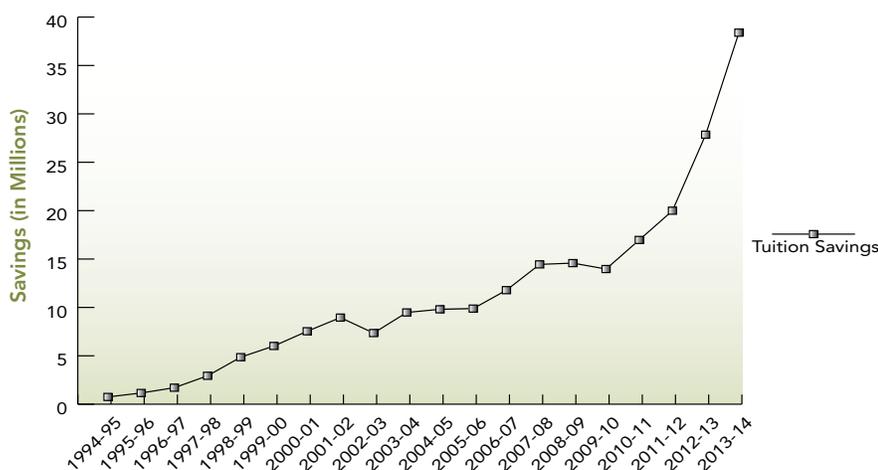
Tuition Savings By Home State of Residence

State	2013-14	Total
Illinois	\$19,288,283	\$31,410,396
Indiana	\$827,033	\$3,081,014
Kansas	\$4,231,985	\$56,060,276
Michigan	\$3,401,299	\$30,545,419
Minnesota	\$2,116,581	\$12,987,683
Missouri	\$2,497,994	\$28,132,947
Nebraska	\$3,338,340	\$45,244,647
North Dakota	\$395,652	\$2,555,992
Wisconsin	\$2,301,438	\$19,322,269
Total	\$38,398,605	\$229,340,643

MSEP Average Savings Per Student by Student's Home State of Residence

State	Average Savings Per Student
Illinois	\$5,382
Indiana	\$3,995
Kansas	\$6,892
Michigan	\$4,566
Minnesota	\$6,784
Missouri	\$6,455
Nebraska	\$5,058
North Dakota	\$5,734
Wisconsin	\$5,172
Total	\$5,467

MSEP Student Tuition Savings



Detailed MSEP Enrollment by Home State of Residence

Institution Name	IL	IN	KS	MI	MN	MO	NE	ND	WI	Grand Total
Ball State University	243		2	115	9	30			47	446
Columbia College	16		6	1	1					24
Emporia State University	6	2			3	4		2	1	18
Ferris State University	247	89	4		16			3	50	409
Fontbonne University	13			1	1				2	17
Fort Hays State University		3								3
Indiana State University			3	29	5	30	4	2	16	89
Ivy Tech Community College	2			17	1				1	21
Jefferson College	1									1
Kansas State University	43	6		6	19	40		51	8	173
Lake Superior College	2			11						13
Maryville University of Saint Louis	83	8	6		2			5	1	105
Mayville State University	15	2	3	6		4			9	39
Metropolitan Community College			11							11
Metropolitan State University	1									1
Minnesota State University Mankato	90	3	8	19		14		39		173
Missouri Southern State University	2			3	1			1		7
Missouri State University	152	8	108	11	12			22	7	320
Missouri Western State University				2	3			1	1	7
North Dakota State College of Science	4	1				3				8
North Dakota State University	49	14	30	65		23		28	185	394
Nortwest Missouri State University	26	1	87		5			339	2	460
Pittsburg State University	7						1	6		14
Purdue University North Central	34			50		1			3	88
Southeast Missouri State University	251	2	3	1	5			2	4	268
St Cloud State University	6	3	2	10		2		4		27
Truman State University	206	4	86	2	15		1	43	13	370
University of Missouri	255		17	7	28			6	16	329
University of Central Missouri	19		71	1	3			5		99
University of Kansas	42	2		4	25	70	4	32	7	186
University of Missouri-Kansas City	11	3	30	2	11		1	32	10	100
University of Missouri-St. Louis	15	1	3	4	3			2	6	34
University of Nebraska-Kearney			9	1		1				11
University of Nebraska-Lincoln	26		52	7	54	37	11		11	198
University of Nebraska-Omaha	32		40	12	73	44	11		9	221
University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire	64	3		16		3	3	1		90
University of Wisconsin-Green Bay	72	3	1	91		5		1		173
University of Wisconsin-La Crosse	12	2	2	14		4	2	1		37
University of Wisconsin-Marinette	7			5						12
University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee	436	14	4	51		9	4	3		521
University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh	197	6	1	49		8	5	1		267
University of Wisconsin-Parkside	346	1	3	10		3				363
University of Wisconsin-Platteville		2				1				3
University of Wisconsin-River Falls	19	1	3			1	1	1		26
University of Wisconsin-Rock	10									10
University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point	302	5	6	74		8	9	1		405
University of Wisconsin-Stout	105	7	2	24		3	7	1		149
University of Wisconsin-Whitewater		4	1	8		2	1			16
Valley City State University	5	1	2	2		2		2	6	20
Wayne State College			1	3	8	3	2		6	23
Webster University	98		6	4	5			4	9	126
Wichita State University	9	5		2	4	30	2	16	5	73
Williston State College	2	1	1	5		2		3	10	24
Grand Total	3,583	207	614	745	312	387	69	660	445	7,022

Degree Program Participation

Degree Program	Count of Students
Business, Management, Marketing, and Related Support Services	919
Health Professions and Related Clinical Sciences	913
Undecided	625
Education	540
Visual and Performing Arts	401
Biological and Biomedical Sciences	396
Communication, Journalism, and Related Programs	340
Psychology	290
Parks, Recreation, Leisure, and Fitness Studies	271
Natural Resources and Conservation	207
Social Sciences	190
Agriculture, Agriculture Operations, and Related Sciences	170
Engineering	170
Engineering Technologies/Technicians	166
Security and Protective Services	149
Physical Sciences	138
Family and Consumer Sciences/Human Sciences	136
Liberal Arts and Sciences, General Studies and Humanities	134
Architecture and Related Services	127
Computer and Information Sciences and Support Services	113
English Language and Literature/Letters	101
Multi/Interdisciplinary Studies	90
Public Administration and Social Service Professions	80
Non-Degree	74
Mathematics and Statistics	69
History	53
Foreign languages, literatures, and Linguistics	32
Communications Technologies/Technicians and Support Services	28
Area, Ethnic, Cultural, and Gender Studies	26
Mechanic and Repair Technologies/Technicians	16
Legal Professions and Studies	12
Philosophy and Religious Studies	12
Precision Production	12
Library Science	6
Transportation and Materials Moving	6
Military Science, Leadership and Operational Art	3
Science Technologies/Technicians	3
Personal and Culinary Services	2
Health-related Knowledge and Skills	2
Grand Total	7,022

Participating MSEP Institutions 2013-14

Illinois

Greenville College
Lewis and Clark Community College

Indiana

Ball State University
Indiana State University
Ivy Tech Community College
Purdue University North Central

Kansas

Emporia State University
Fort Hays State University
Kansas State University
Pittsburg State University
University of Kansas
Wichita State University

Michigan

Ferris State University
Rochester College

Minnesota

Anoka Technical College
Fond du Lac Tribal & Community College
Lake Superior College
Metropolitan State University
Minnesota State University, Mankato
Pine Technical College
St. Cloud State University

Missouri

Central Methodist University
Columbia College
Crowder College
Culver-Stockton College
East Central College
Fontbonne University
Harris-Stowe State University

Jefferson College
Lincoln University
Lindenwood University
Linn State Technical College
Maryville University of St. Louis
Metropolitan Community College - Blue River
Metropolitan Community College - Business and Technology
Metropolitan Community College - Longview
Metropolitan Community College - Maple Woods
Metropolitan Community College - Penn Valley
Mineral Area College
Missouri Southern State University
Missouri State University
Missouri State University - West Plains
Missouri Valley College
Missouri Western State University
North Central Missouri College
Northwest Missouri State University
Ozarks Technical Community College
Saint Louis University
Southeast Missouri State University
St. Charles Community College
State Fair Community College
Stephens College
Truman State University
University of Central Missouri
University of Missouri - Columbia
University of Missouri - Kansas City
University of Missouri - St. Louis
Webster University
Westminster College
William Jewell College
William Woods University

Nebraska

Central Community College - Grand Island, Hastings, and Columbus
Chadron State College
University of Nebraska - Lincoln

University of Nebraska at Kearney
University of Nebraska at Omaha
University of Nebraska Medical Center
Wayne State College

North Dakota

Bismarck State College
Dickinson State University
Mayville State University
North Dakota State College of Science
North Dakota State University
University of North Dakota
Valley City State University

Wisconsin

Blackhawk Technical College
Fox Valley Technical College
Lakeshore Technical College
Mid-State Technical College
Southwest Wisconsin Technical College
University of Wisconsin - Eau Claire
University of Wisconsin - Green Bay
University of Wisconsin - La Crosse
University of Wisconsin - Marinette
University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee
University of Wisconsin - Oshkosh
University of Wisconsin - Parkside
University of Wisconsin - Platteville
University of Wisconsin - River Falls
University of Wisconsin - Rock County
University of Wisconsin - Stevens Point
University of Wisconsin - Stout
University of Wisconsin - Superior
University of Wisconsin - Whitewater
Western Technical College
Wisconsin Indianhead Technical College

The Midwestern Higher Education Compact would like to acknowledge the following institutions that have been long-time participants in the Midwest Student Exchange Program that have subsequently either eliminated out-of-state tuition, or dropped it to a level below 150% for all incoming students, regardless of their home state of residence. These campuses provide students with no additional discount through MSEP.

Michigan

Lake Superior State University

Minnesota

Alexandria Technical & Community College
Anoka-Ramsey Community College
Central Lakes College
Century College
Dakota County Technical College
Hennepin Technical College - Brooklyn Park Campus
Hennepin Technical College - Eden Prairie Campus
Hibbing Community College
Inver Hills Community College
Itasca Community College
Mesabi Range Community & Technical College - Eveleth Campus
Mesabi Range Community & Technical College - Virginia Campus
Minneapolis Community & Technical College
Minnesota State College - Southeast Technical - Red Wing Campus
Minnesota State College - Southeast Technical - Winona Campus
Minnesota State Community & Technical College - Detroit Lakes Campus
Minnesota State Community & Technical College - Fergus Falls Campus
Minnesota State Community & Technical College - Moorhead Campus
Minnesota State Community & Technical College - Wadena Campus
Minnesota State University Moorhead
Minnesota West Community & Technical College - Canby Campus
Minnesota West Community & Technical College - Granite Falls Campus
Minnesota West Community & Technical College - Jackson Campus
Minnesota West Community & Technical College - Pipestone Campus
Minnesota West Community & Technical College - Worthington Campus

Normandale Community College
North Hennepin Community College
Northland Community & Technical College - East Grand Forks Campus
Northland Community & Technical College - Thief River Falls Campus
Northwest Technical College
Rainy River Community College
Ridgewater College - Hutchinson and Willmar Campus
Riverland Community College
Rochester Community & Technical College
Saint Paul College
South Central College - Faribault Campus
South Central College - Mankato Campus
Southwest Minnesota State University
St. Cloud Technical & Community College
University of Minnesota - Crookston
University of Minnesota - Duluth
University of Minnesota - Morris
University of Minnesota - Twin Cities
Vermillion Community College

Nebraska

Peru State College

North Dakota

Dakota College at Bottineau
Lake Region State College
Minot State University
Williston State College